

JAPAN TO ENTER WAR OF EUROPE IN SUPPORT OF HER BIG ALLIES

Oriental Empire Is Perfecting Defensive and Offensive Alliance With Britain, France and Russia Which Will Involve Her

DETAILS OF AGREEMENT SOON TO BE ANNOUNCED

Mikado Will Send Great Armies Of His Soldiers Into Occident and In All Probability They Will Fight With the Russians

(Special to Hawaii Shinto)

TOKIO, August 26.—A formal alliance in which the contracting Powers are to be Great Britain, France, Russia and Japan is now being negotiated and probably will be announced within a few days. The alliance will be for defense and offense and the first fruits probably will be the despatch of a large force of Japanese soldiers to Europe, to co-operate with the Allies, probably on the Polish front.

Details Being Arranged

Baron Ishii, Japanese ambassador to France, who has accepted the portfolio of minister of foreign affairs in the reorganized Okuma cabinet, will leave France within a few days to take up the duties of the foreign office. He will visit London, after turning over the Paris embassy to the temporary ambassador, and will confer with Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, concerning the terms of the alliance. It is expected that the alliance will be announced after the two foreign ministers have met and consulted.

Conference With Yoshimoto

Yesterday the British, French and Russian ambassadors left Tokyo for Nikko, where an important conference is to be held between the ambassadors and premier, Count Okuma and Lieutenant-General Goka, the minister of war. Count Okuma and his war minister are at Nikko consulting with the Emperor, this consultation and that to follow with the ambassadors being in relation to the terms of the formal Quadruple Alliance.

Japanese Troops For Europe

Japanese troops for Europe are expected soon to be on the move, although it is not known whether one or two expeditions are to be despatched. It is considered possible in some quarters that an expedition will be sent to the Dardanelles as well as to Poland.

GOODNOW DOES NOT FAVOR A MONARCHY

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, August 25.—At the Chinese legation here the report is absolutely denied that Doctor Goodnow, the foreign adviser who recently went to China from the United States to help draft a new constitution, favors a monarchy for the Chinese. The report that he has advised President Yuan Shih-kai to take the throne, and that he finds a republican form of government unsuited to the Chinese, is declared false. Mail reports indicate that a commission in Peking, in which Doctor Goodnow is working, is attempting to devise a perfect form of republican government.

GERMAN ARRESTED ON GRAVE CHARGE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, August 26.—Gustav Kopach, German, an instrument maker in the employ of the Carnegie Institution, was arrested yesterday by agents of the department of justice and charged with violating the law for the protection of the national defenses. He has been making sketch plans and pictures showing the details of a number of military reservations.

SOLDIERS PREPARE FOR MEXICAN RAID

Warned of Big Uprising in Texas, General Pershing Gathers His Troops

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
EL PASO, Texas, August 26.—The men of the Sixteenth and Seventeenth Infantry were last night hurriedly recalled to their quarters and are being held in readiness to be despatched to any point needed. The precaution is being taken because of rumors that have reached Brigadier General Pershing that a general uprising of the Mexicans in Texas has been planned, in which the Huerta, Carranza and Colorado factions are to combine.

All the river bridges and possible crossing places are being guarded. Advances from Douglas state that the remaining Villa force at Hualahampo, in North Sonora, has been routed by the Carranzistas and that Villa has ceased to be a factor in that section. Thieving bands of Mexicans are threatening to cross the line into Texas at Laredo and a military guard for the district has been requested.

Yaqui raiders have broken out again inland from Guaymas and fourteen Mexicans, attempting to guard a ranch from deprivation have been massacred. A posse is attempting to run down the hostiles.

FIGHTING BLOODY AT DARDANELLES

British Still Advance and Allies Expect Full Possession At Early Date

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
LONDON, August 26.—The official report of the recent fighting on the Gallipoli Peninsula, which states that the Allies have made a very substantial advance towards the ultimate objective, comes as a relief to the British public, which, basing its fears on the "Constantinople" despatches, had commenced to believe that one of the forces operating for the capture of the Dardanelles had been outflanked or cut off and was in danger of annihilation or capture.

Fighting Has Been Bloody

The report of Sir Ian Hamilton states that the recent fighting has been of the bloodiest nature, the British advance being in the face of a splendid opposition by the Turks, who gave ground only when their dead piled up and outnumbered their movements. The British loss was heavy; that of the Turks heavier, while the ground gained is of the highest military value in the advance upon the heights of Achi Baba. The British captured and occupied nearly half a mile of trenches. Additional troops have been landed safely on the Peninsula and the offensive of the Allies will be even more aggressive. It is recognized that the true object of the land campaign will not be gained without further costly efforts, but the eventual decisive victory for the Allies is growing daily closer.

Full Possession In Sight

It is the full expectation of the commanders of the Allies that the Dardanelles will be in the full possession of the land and naval forces before the unfavorable weather of early fall sets in.

Yesterday a fleet of Russian aeroplanes raided over Constantinople, bombarding a Turkish suburb, killing for forty-one persons and creating a panic among the residents. On Friday, a French aeroplane bombarded a Turkish transport in the Sea of Marmora, sinking it with his bombs.

GREECE GETS ASSURANCE OF BULGARS' FRIENDSHIP

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SOFIA, August 26.—Despatches from Sofia state that Bulgaria has given Athens assurances that the Bulgarians entertain no hostile intentions towards the Greeks. The evidence apparent in Sofia, adds the despatches, show that Zemanin has not abandoned her efforts to persuade Bulgaria to join in with a joint Balkan war against the Turks.

CANTON IS FLOODED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, August 25.—News received here from China is that Canton is flooded and the surrounding region largely under water. The U. S. gunboats Wilmington and Calla are relieving the situation as far as possible.

ZEPELIN RAIDS VLIeland

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
AMSTERDAM, August 25.—A German Zeppelin today passed Vlieland, high overhead, bound in a northwest direction.

GERMAN BALTIC FLEET LARGE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
COPENHAGEN, Denmark, August 25.—Neutral visitors say that Germany has fifty-eight submarines in her Baltic fleet and thirty-eight war ships. It is stated that 9000 marines from Kiel have been sent to the front to reinforce the army.

NATION WEAK, SAYS BIG BULL MOOSE IN 'RUGGED SPEECH'

Roosevelt Deplores Slaughter of Americans Upon Seas and Violation of Belgium

Tells Civilians At Military Camp Of Instruction Wilson Policy Is Shameful

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
PLATTSBURG, New York, August 26.—For the past thirteen months, America has been content to play a negligible part among the nations of the world. She has tamely submitted to seeing the weak, whom by solemn covenant we have promised to protect, wronged as no other people have been wronged in modern days. She has seen her own citizens, men, women and children, murdered upon the high seas and there has been no action upon our part.

Each was a portion of the speech delivered at the civilian military instruction camp here yesterday by Theodore Roosevelt, before the twelve hundred members of the camp and a large crowd which had gathered from the surrounding neighborhood to hear Mr. Roosevelt speak.

Thousands of those within reach of his voice broke into applause when the Rough Rider scolded the inactivity of the administration in failing to protect and act on behalf of Belgium and in submitting to the invasion of American neutral rights by German submarines. Roosevelt raised his hand and checked the applause.

America Fails Outraged Belgium

"Don't applaud," he shouted, "unless you really feel a burning sense of shame because our country has not stood up for Belgium."

In concluding his address, Mr. Roosevelt stated that he stood ready to uphold the course of President Wilson just as long as President Wilson's course upheld the honor of the country.

BRITISH ADVANCE IN WESTERN ZONE

Counting Big Gain Just Made They Have Line Forty Miles Long

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
LONDON, August 26.—The British force at the front in Flanders and France has been materially reinforced and yesterday took more than twelve additional miles of trenches from the Germans. This gives the British a front between the Belgians and French armies, of nearly forty miles. Some heavy trench fighting has been going on at many points along the western front, hand grenades and bayonets being freely used, while the snappers of each side have been busy and many mines have been exploded. There has been also considerable artillery fighting. The general results leave the situation unchanged.

A report from Paris states that a German destroyer, caught off Dunkirk on the night of the twenty-third by two French destroyers, was shelled and sunk, with all on board.

Aviators have dropped bombs on Orfenburg and Baden.

ARMY POET WILL BRING BRIDE BACK

SAN FRANCISCO, August 17.—Captain George Steunenberg, U. S. A., brother of former Governor Frank Steunenberg of Idaho, and Miss Florence Alexander of Omaha, were married last night in the Idaho State building at the exposition. The ceremony was performed by Chaplain Oseward of the Twenty-first Infantry, U. S. A. Captain Steunenberg and his bride will sail by United States transport on September 7 for Honolulu, where the captain will be stationed at Schofield Barracks.

FETES PLANNED FOR TAFT

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
SAN FRANCISCO, August 25.—Extensive preparations have been made here for receptions to former President Taft who arrived last night in the city.

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RUSSIAN DEFENSE GROWS STRONGER

Troops Are In Good Spirits and Getting Large Supply of Ammunition

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
LONDON, August 26.—Although the despatches from Petrograd show a further retreat of one portion of the Russian line defending Petrograd, the general tenor of the despatches is highly optimistic. The retreat is of that portion of the line defending the Bialystok railroad junction, the Bialystok garrison, being withdrawn to Grodno, where the Russians will take their stand, holding until the promised reinforcements reach them.

Shell Crisis Is Over

The shell crisis is over, according to an announcement made by the Duma defense committee, and the German artillery will no longer be able to pound the Russian positions unanswered. The output of the various munition factories has been doubled, while supplies from Japan are beginning to reach the front.

All along the line the matter of munition transportation is receiving full attention and the army is again being well supplied. The army itself, despite the continued retreats, is reported to be in splendid fighting condition.

Bavarians Are Checked

Northwest of Brest-Litovsk, in the marshes, the Russians have checked the further advance of the Bavarian regiments led by King Leopold, although the German advance southwest of Brest-Litovsk, on the east bank of the Bug, is progressing.

The bad weather which had prevailed for the past several days is commencing to fall against the German progress and is favoring the Russians. In the Courland district, the roads are softening under the rains and the Germans are experiencing the greatest difficulties in moving their heavy artillery.

Ottomans Lose Heavily

Reports from the Caucasus front to Petrograd state that the Russian troops have occupied the Turkish positions on the Kouray Mountain, defending the Pasa Valley. The Turks lost heavily in men killed and wounded, while a large number surrendered to the Russians.

GRAFT UNCOVERED BY ROYAL BOARD

Parliament Building Frauds Cause Conservatives To Be Eliminated From Manitoba

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WINNIPEG, Manitoba, August 26.—The royal commission, which has been taking evidence during the past several months regarding political scandals arising out of the building of the Manitoba parliament building, presented its formal report yesterday, although the report contains only the findings which the public had agreed upon many weeks ago.

Overcharges Are Allowed

The evidence presented before the commission showed that government inspectors had allowed overcharges in favor of the subcontractors to the amount of several hundreds of thousands of dollars, while the subcontractors, in return, had subscribed liberally in 1913 towards the election campaign fund of the Conservative party, then in power.

As a result of the exposures made during the investigation, the Conservative government, led by Sir R. P. Roblin, resigned, while Roblin, himself, although not personally implicated in the scandal.

Conservatives Eliminated

An election in the province, due to the resignations of the government, was held on the sixth, resulting in the practical elimination of the Conservative party, only five of the Conservative candidates out of forty-nine elected members being returned. T. C. Norris, the Liberal leader, who is now Premier of Manitoba, secured forty members. The obliteration of the Conservative party is credited by the Manitoba press to the determination of the voters to preserve the honesty of the government.

JAPANESE AVIATOR IN RECORD FLIGHT

(Special by Cable to Hawaii Shinto.)
TOKIO, August 26.—A Japanese army aviator yesterday made a successful flight over the Japanese Alps, the highest peak of which has an elevation of 2900 meters.

EDISON IS EQUIPPING WASPS WITH BATTERIES

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
NEW YORK, August 25.—Under the supervision of Thomas A. Edison, nickel batteries are being installed in the submarine K-1 to prevent the escape of chlorine gas.

SIR EDWARD GREY DISAVOWS REMARK

Never Said Britain Was Entering War To Demonstrate Friendship For Germany

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
LONDON, August 26.—In a letter issued to the press, Sir Edward Grey, the secretary of foreign affairs, disavows ever having discussed the subject referred to by Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg in his speech at the opening of the German Reichstag last week. The German chancellor quoted an alleged statement of Sir Edward to the effect that Great Britain was entering the war in order that when the terms of peace were drawn up, the British representatives would be in a position to demonstrate their real friendship for Germany.

German Version Recalled

This remark, declared von Bethmann-Hollweg, was made to Prince Lichnowsky, the German ambassador in London, on the declaration of war by Great Britain. The interpretation placed upon it by the German chancellor was that Great Britain believed that she was placing herself in a position to play a weakened Germany against a victorious Russia and to curb Russian ambitions in the peace settlements to the benefit of Great Britain.

That any such subject was discussed between himself and Prince Lichnowsky to give justification for the denunciations of the German chancellor, Sir Edward denies, while he also declares wholly unwarranted by the facts the statement made in his address by von Bethmann-Hollweg that Belgium had trafficked away her neutral rights through any clandestine agreements made with the Allies.

Belgium Deliberately Violated

The German chancellor, in a formal speech made in the Reichstag in August of 1914, immediately following the outbreak of the war, frankly admitted to the world that the violation of the neutrality of Belgium had been committed deliberately by Germany. The chancellor, reminds Sir Edward, acknowledged that a crime had been committed by Germany, under the stress of urgent necessity. In that speech the chancellor announced that Germany would repair the wrong done to Belgium as soon as the war was over and Germany's military ends had been attained.

Sir Edward reiterated the efforts made by him to prevent the outbreak of the war up to the very eve of the hostilities. Great Britain sought consistently, he said, to prevent the conflict, and had entered it only when it would have been dishonorable for Great Britain to remain neutral.

TEUTON SOCIALISTS PLAN PEACE TERMS

Feature of Proposed Treaty Is Unity Among Leading Powers of Europe

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
BERLIN, August 26.—The Socialist newspapers yesterday published the results of the conference just concluded between the members of the Socialist party in the Reichstag, the leaders among the socialists in private life and others who are interested in the aims of the Socialists to bring about peace as speedily as possible without the sacrifice of German territory. The summary of the peace aims of the Socialists is given as follows:

Terms of Permanent Peace
That will bring the leading nations of Europe into closer relations, industrial, agricultural and intellectual.

Under the peace desired, the opponents of Germany in the present war shall not be permitted to acquire any German territory, either in Europe or from the German colonies.

The peace treaty shall contain the most favored nation clause, and all the belligerents shall subscribe to the various treaties which exist between the various European countries shall be improved.

Freedom of Sea Advocated

The freedom of the seas, so far as the rights of all ships not classified as warships to sail free from danger of capture, shall be guaranteed.

Neither Austria nor Turkey shall be weakened through the granting to opponents of those countries territory essential to the peaceful development of either Austria or Turkey.

An international court shall be established, before which all future international disagreements shall be brought for final settlement.

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GERMAN PREMIER SAYS KAISER WANTS TO DO RIGHT THING

Should It Be Shown That Arabic Was Sunk In Violation of Principles Set Out By President Wilson, Berlin Stands Ready to Give Full Satisfaction to People of United States

RUMORS OF WAR CAUSE STOCKS TO SOAR Wall Street Stampeded By Reports From Washington

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
NEW YORK, August 26.—Wall Street grew excited at rumors of possible war between the United States and Germany yesterday and there were persistent reports that the diplomatic tension between Washington and Berlin has increased almost to the danger point.

The result of the rumors, alleged to be based on inside information from Washington, was to send the quotations on all industrial concerns interested in the manufacture of munitions and war supplies skyrocketing.

There were spectacular jumps all along the line.

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)

BERLIN, August 26.—In a formal interview granted to the representative of The Associated Press yesterday, Doctor von Bethmann-Hollweg, chancellor of the empire, made an official statement in regard to the sinking of the White Star liner Arabic and the deaths of two American passengers which resulted.

The chancellor stated that the German government was not in possession of the full facts surrounding the case, but assured the people of the United States, through The Associated Press, that, if it be found that the commander of the submarine exceeded the instructions issued to him by the German admiralty, the German government was prepared to give full satisfaction to the United States.

Von Jagow and Gerard Confer

Yesterday an important conference was held between Herr von Jagow, secretary for foreign affairs, and Ambassador Gerard, in which the situation which has developed as a result of the torpedoing of the Arabic was discussed at length. Acting under the instructions of the American state department, the American ambassador asked for information regarding the Arabic incident.

He was informed that the German government was not in possession of the facts in the case, having been unable to communicate with the commander of the submarine responsible for the sinking of the liner. He assured the ambassador that a reply to the American inquiry would be made at the earliest possible moment.

Friendship Of America Is Desired

WASHINGTON, August 25.—Assurance is being given the United States by Germany that Berlin's statement on the sinking of the White Star liner Arabic and the resultant deaths of two Americans will be satisfactory to this country.

Count J. H. von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, today unofficially informed President Wilson that the next German communication will deal with the Arabic incident in a satisfactory manner.

He makes it plain that Germany does not desire a break in relations with the United States and that such explanation of the Arabic sinking will be forthcoming as will, Berlin believes, satisfy the United States that a break is not warranted.

Officials here will not speculate as to just what statement Germany will make.

Germany's Explanation Inadequate

LONDON, August 25.—The London press, commenting on the situation caused by the sinking of the Arabic, calls Germany's explanations to the United States inadequate and says that Germany's attitude shows that the country realizes its relations with America have reached a serious stage.

Yankee Ships Exempt From Attack

The official statement of the German Imperial Chancellor, made to The Associated Press, contains the first intimation that has come that the German admiralty has issued instructions to the submarine commanders in regard to the treatment of British passenger liners.

That definite instructions not to attack recognizable American ships is intimated in a letter received by Malcolm A. Franklin, collector of customs, from E. T. Chamberlain, commissioner of the bureau of navigation, department of commerce, quotes advice from Ambassador Gerard as follows:

"The American ambassador at Berlin has been informed by the German admiralty that merchant vessels wishing to indicate their neutral nationality by painting their national colors on the ship's sides, often commit the mistake of painting these signs too small, so that they cannot be recognized from some distance. Foreign offices request American steamship companies be accordingly informed."

MINISTER IS FOUND MURDERED IN STUDY

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
GARY, Indiana, August 25.—Rev. Edmund Kayser was found today murdered in his study. It is believed that he was killed on account of pro-German utterances that aroused much resentment.

FRUIT STEAMER IS LOST

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
NEW ORLEANS, August 25.—The United Fruit Company has abandoned hope that the steamer Marowinje has escaped foundering in the terrific hurricane which recently raged north of Cuba. There were twenty-eight passengers and sixty-eight crew members aboard the steamer.

TOYO KISEN KAISHA BUYS LINER PERSIA

(Special by Federal Wireless to Hawaii Shinto.)
SAN FRANCISCO, August 26.—President Asano of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha yesterday completed the purchase of the Pacific Mail liner Persia. The price paid, according to report, is between \$200,000 and \$225,000. Yesterday Ambassador Guthrie sailed for Yokohama aboard the S. S. Mongolia. On the same steamer are sailing fourteen University of Chicago basketball players, who will stop over in Honolulu.